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## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office – Filing Date Granted mailed June 11, 2008 (enclosed herewith), Applicant respectfully submits a correct translation of the International Application as filed.

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- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/12/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 07/12/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/12/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/12/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/12/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/12/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/12/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/12/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective as described below. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
  - The number of claims in the International Application and the number of claims in the translation are not the same.
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SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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